

IN STANLEY'S HONOR

Big Meeting of Ratification to Be Held

ON FRIDAY JUNE 17

Exercise Will Be Held in the Auditorium.

An elaborate ratification meeting and public reception has been arranged for Mr. Stanley next Friday night, June 17. The citizens of the city have insisted on such a meeting in honor of not only Mr. Stanley but the whole Republican state ticket, and they will assist in the demonstration.

Over a hundred invitations to speakers, candidates and prominent Republicans over the state have been sent out. The list includes Ex-Senator Ingalls, J. R. Burton, Judge Beckman, A. H. Horton, Major Hood, John Seaton, Senator Heslin, F. D. Coburn, R. W. Blue and other speakers of prominence over the state. The whole affair will be of an informal nature, devoted to general good fellowship, short speeches, vocal music, etc.

In the afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock at the Auditorium, Mr. Stanley, aided by some ladies and gentlemen of Wichita, will hold an informal reception for his friends. To this the public will be invited. There will be both vocal and instrumental music. The program of the evening will begin at 8 o'clock Friday, June 17, and will be filled in with speeches from a number of prominent orators invited.

Wichita will make this a great occasion, commensurate with the high esteem in which Mr. Stanley is held by his fellow citizens, a fitting appreciation of the enthusiastic endorsement which the state convention at Hutchinson gave Mr. Stanley and that section of the state which he represents.

The crowds of people who called upon Mr. Stanley yesterday, and who have been calling upon him since his nomination, and the letters that are coming, as well as telegrams, are a witness to the high esteem in which he is held by his fellow citizens. No other candidate for governor ever had such a torrent of compliment and congratulation. It shows the sentiment for the nomination, for the man, for the turn of the tide in Kansas political affairs.

The following committees have been appointed for the ratification:

Committee on speakers—Col. M. M. Murdoch, J. O. Davidson.
Hall—Charles F. Fanning, A. C. Jones.
Instrumental music—A. G. Walden, O. Z. Smith.
Vocal music—L. M. Cox, Bruce Priddy, W. B. Throckmorton.
Flags for hall—Murray Myers, Henry Schad.
Transportation—E. B. Jewett, James Black, George E. Lehman.

MILL TO START

Old City Mill Will Commence Operation August First.

Mr. W. E. Caldwell, a manufacturer of mill machinery, of Louisville, Ky., and owner of a mill at Purcell and Perry, together with Mr. F. D. Stevens, formerly of this city, have completed arrangements to start the old city mill, on the corner of Douglas and Fifth avenues. This mill was for years owned by Messrs. Oliver & Imboden. It has a capacity of 50 barrels of flour per day and the electric has a capacity of 5000 bushels of grain. It will take until the first of August before the mill is renovated and put in complete repair. This will give the city three first class mills. Both the gentlemen are thoroughly competent and will make the products the best. They have rented the mill for one year, with the privilege of purchasing.

OLD SOLDIER'S PAVILION

List of Donations Secured by Committee.

Following are the donations for the Old Soldier's Pavilion gotten up by the Woman's Relief Corps, No. 61, Committee, Mrs. Henry Schmitzler, chairman: Mrs. Fritz Schmitzler, Mrs. Huskins, Mrs. Beach, Mrs. Kessler and Mrs. Helma Mason, president of W. R. C., No. 40; German Ladies L. A. S. \$2.00; First German Ladies L. A. S. \$2.00; Columbia Lodge, No. 1, \$2.00; S. Hirsch, Kansas City, Mo., \$2.00; Henry Schmitzler \$1.00; Fritz Schmitzler \$1.00; I. Leon, Kansas City, Mo., \$1.00; I. M. Loomis \$1.00; Smyth & Sons \$1.00; Charley Frost \$1.00; George Jones & Co. \$1.00; W. A. Polk \$1.00; C. A. Ross \$1.00; Tapp Bros \$1.00; Mr. Steinbuechel \$1.00; Mahan Supply Co. \$1.00.

HE CAN RECORD HIGH NOTES

Wichita Boy's Improvement on the Graphophone.

A Wichita boy has made an important improvement in the graphophone. This is H. W. Schroeder, who is now in Kansas City. He has arranged a graphophone so that it is possible to take the high notes

Strong, steady nerves
Are needed for success
Everywhere. Nerves
Depend simply, solely,
Upon the blood.
Pure, rich, nourishing
Blood feeds the nerves
And makes them strong.
The great nerve tonic is
Hood's Sarsaparilla,
Because it makes
The blood rich and
Pure, giving it power
To feed the nerves.
Hood's Sarsaparilla
Cures nervousness,
Dyspepsia, rheumatism,
Catarrh, scrofula,
And all forms of
Impure blood.

WANT RIDDLE FIRED

Petition For His Removal Has Been Started.

SIGNED BY STOCKMEN

Alleges That the Present System is Senseless.

Yesterday the Union Stock Yards Exchange of this city commenced active operations toward effecting some sort of relief from the oppressive and highly unsatisfactory conditions of the present system of cattle inspection. An elaborate petition has been drawn up and generally signed by the commission firms at the Exchange, here and elsewhere, addressed to the governor and praying him, in the interests of one of Kansas' great industries to remove from the board of sanitary live stock commission, Taylor Riddle, and in his place appoint some competent cattle expert who will look after the interests of the state's live stock affairs in a manner which will operate to the credit of the board and the interests of the cattlemen. The manner of inspecting by the sanitary board and the inspectors themselves have become so obnoxious that it is deemed time to call a halt. Fat cattle going out of feed lots adjoining Kansas must be inspected by a state inspector before they can go, the fee to be paid by the shipper. By the present system the inspectors are stationed along the border line, at Kiowa, Caldwell and other towns, and when a shipper from the territory desires to ship his stock in, one of these supernumeraries must be sent for and his permit obtained. Perhaps this functionary is up here in Wichita attending a horse race, or may be at Kansas City "on business," it makes no difference, the cattle already loaded at some point must wait for the inspector to get there and look them over before they can go out. One instance will suffice to show how this works a hardship to the shipper. Four cars of fat cattle were held 24 hours awaiting the arrival of a so-called inspector, and the shrinkage and damage resulting to the shipper was so great that he lost money on the consignment. Hereafter it has been customary for the state inspectors to work in union with the government inspectors, but now they work independently and "dive" have been the natural result. These alleged inspectors are not under oath or under bond and frequently incompetent, and the very end in view is thus defeated, namely, that of keeping fever infected cattle out. Moreover the rule formerly has been to apply this inspection to such stock cattle as were shipped into Kansas pastures for grazing, but now it effects fat cattle as well, and all stock shipped to market for immediate killing.

One paragraph of the petition reads as follows: "The system of inspection has been conducted in such a way as to cause great expense, delay, trouble, loss and annoyance to honest stockmen who have sought to bring cattle into the state, and such system has always been a menace, and in many cases has amounted to actual robbery, upon the rights of shippers, without keeping out such stock as was intended to be kept out by the establishment of the commission."

Taylor Riddle's scalp is the main issue, not for any political motive whatever, for it is signed by all, irrespective of party, but simply because he is responsible for this very obnoxious system of insane cattle inspection which works no good, no loss and inconvenience to Kansas stock interests without in any manner keeping out diseased cattle.

FOR THE MASONIC HOME

Ladies of the Ivy Leaf Chapter Plan the Annual Social.

The ladies of Ivy Leaf chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will give their annual St. John's Day social for the benefit of the Masonic Home, on Friday evening, June 24, on the Masonic Home grounds. Entertainments for the benefit of this institution are given in every town in Kansas where a chapter exists, on this same evening. Ivy Leaf has, through the generosity of citizens, been enabled to give the largest contributions the past two years, and it is sincerely hoped that the ladies will again carry off the banner.

COMING LOCAL EVENTS

Queen City Lodge No. 294 holds an adjourned meeting on Monday evening, June 13, 1898.

Regular meeting M. W. A. No. 509 Tuesday night at 24 North Main. All members urged to be present. Business of great importance.

Hypatia will hold an open meeting tomorrow, the last guest day of the season. Subject for the day, "Music," in charge of Mrs. J. L. Dyer. Program begins at 7:30 p. m.

The Tom Thumb wedding at the Christian church on Friday night was a grand success and will be repeated on Tuesday night at the same place. Rehearsal is called for Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Regular meeting of Anson Skinner Camp No. 4, Sons of Veterans, in Peoria hall Monday night, June 13, at 8 o'clock. Let every member be present. Master in second degree. By order of W. C. Hoover, captain.

The lady members and attendants of St. John's Episcopal church are earnestly urged to attend a meeting of all women interested in St. John's church, Tuesday afternoon at 4 p. m. in the large basement of the church. Business of importance.

National Reserve association, Wichita Lodge No. 26, will give a fine literary and musical program at their hall 213 South Water street, Tuesday evening, June 14. Supreme President F. W. Sears of Kansas City, Mo., will deliver a short address on fraternal orders. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Tomorrow night there will be a mass meeting in the city building to determine whether the city is to continue to have a baseball club for the balance of the season. Some of the most prominent business men are taking hold of the matter. They request that all interested in having a winning team here be present.

Miss Maude McLaughlin will leave soon for the New England states on an extended summer tour, stopping on the way to participate in the sessions of the National Educational association to be held at Washington, D. C.

AT Cash Henderson's Great Muslin Underwear Sale!

Tomorrow morning the great sale opens up and will continue so long as the garments remain in stock. Here are a few of the marvelous prices that will be quoted:

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